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## VIA ELECTRONIC AND U.S. MAIL

Mr. Terry L. O'Clair Director, Division of Air Quality North Dakota Department of Health 918 E. Divide Avenue, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor Bismarck, ND 58501-1947

Response to NDDH Letter concerning Coal Creek Station NOx BART RE:

Determination

Dear Mr. O'Clair:

In response to your letter of November 3, 2011, and for use as part of Great River Energy's comments to U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's proposed Federal Implementation Plan (FIP), we have completed a refined BART analysis for Coal Creek Station relative to NOx emissions. Enclosed is a copy of our report titled "Coal Creek Station Units 1 and 2, Best Available Retrofit Technology Refined Analysis for NOx Emissions," dated November 2011. For your convenience I have also included a copy of our comments to EPA's September 21, 2011 FIP/SIP proposal. Our comments were submitted to the EPA's docket on November 21.

Please contact me if you have any questions (763-445-5212).

Sincerely,

GREAT RIVER ENERGY

Mary Jo Roth

Manager, Environmental Services

Enclosures

Tom Bachman, NDDH c: